On recipts of a complaint from the Member of the Council, Vidwan T. Muthukannappan, the Assistant Engineer of the Water Works Department inspected the houses in this locality including the residence of the Member and as the defect was understood to be not caused by any breakdowns, but on account of a general reduction in pressure, action was taken by the Corporation to pump a small extra quantity of water from Mandavalli Booster tank for feeding Bhaktavatsalam Nagar by cutting down supply to that extent from the adjoining areas. This position is now being maintained though there are complaints from the affected localities also.

As regards defective supply to areas comprising divisions 1 to 20 in the north, the North Madras trunk main which is under execution designed for this aea exclusively is nearing completion. In the way the distribution system has been working, except the areas which are very close to the Kilpauk Water Works and those which happen to adjoin the trunk mains, all other areas in the City suffer from defective water-supply, and this is not confined to any particular area in the City. To make the available water go round more equitably to all the divisions, schemes have been prepared for redesigning the distribution system.

Divisions 70 to 77 form part of Zone 5 under the Zonal Scheme. A separate trunk main is proposed to be laid from Kilpauk Water Works to feed this zone, and the work will be taken up by the Corporation shortly.

Divisions 91, 92 and 96 are included in Zone 8-B. A separate main to feed this area has also been sanctioned and the work will be taken up by the Corporation shortly.

IV.—GOVERNMENT MOTION.

ASSOCIATION OF THREE MEMBERS WITH THE COMMITTEE ON SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : Mr. Chairman, Sir, I move—

"That this House nominates the following three members to associate with the Committee on Subordinate Legislation of the Legislative Assembly for the financial year 1962–63 :—

Sri K. Balasubramanya Ayyar.
Sri M. Seshachariar.
Sri A. Gajapathy Nayagar."

MR. CHAIRMAN : The question is—

"That this House nominates the following three members to associate with the Committee on Subordinate Legislation of the Legislative Assembly for the financial year 1962–63 :—

Sri K. Balasubramanya Ayyar.
Sri M. Seshachariar.
Sri A. Gajapathy Nayagar."

The motion was put and carried.